

REMARKS

This application is a Divisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of Application Serial No. 09/901,884, filed July 9, 2001. The specification is amended to include a cross-reference to the prior application.

The Divisional Application contains Claim 19 - 23, 25 - 27 and 29, and new Claims 33 - 38. The selected claims fall within the invention of Group XVIII as delineated in the Office Action of July 26, 2002 in the parent application. Applicants respectfully request that the amendment to the claims be entered before the calculation of the filing fee.

REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF COMPUTER READABLE FORM OF SEQUENCE LISTING


Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e), applicants request that the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing be transferred from Serial No. 09901,884 to the above-identified patent application. Applicant states that the paper copy of the Sequence Listing in the present application is identical to the computer readable form filed on July 9, 2001 in application Serial No. 09/901,884, filed July 9, 2001. Acceptance of the Sequence Listing of the application is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, entry of the present amendments and examination of the above-identified application on the merits in due course, are respectfully requested.

Kindly charge any additional fees due, or credit overpayment of fees, to
Deposit Account No. 01-2135. (File No.: 506.40345VX1).

Respectfully submitted,

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